

June 21, 2012

The Honorable. Ramon Garcia
County Judge, Hidalgo County, Texas
1615 S. Clossner, Suite J
Edinburg, TX 78539

Re: Republic Services, Inc. Project – Proposed Order for Adoption

Dear Judge Garcia:

Enclosed is a proposed Order of the Hidalgo County Commissioners Court relating to approval required in connection with the proposed issuance by the Mission Economic Development Corporation (the “Issuer”) of its Solid Waste Disposal Revenue Refunding Bonds (Republic Services, Inc. Project) Series 2012 (the “Bonds”).

At the request of Republic Services, Inc., successor in interest to Allied Waste North America, Inc. (“Republic Services”), the Issuer proposes to issue the Bonds and loan the proceeds thereof to Republic Services to provide funds to refund the Issuer’s Solid Waste Disposal Revenue Bonds (Allied Waste North America, Inc. Project) Series 2007A, thereby refinancing the costs of certain solid waste disposal facilities (including certain facilities located in Hidalgo County) described in the attachments to the proposed Order.

In order to permit Republic Services to use proceeds of the Bonds for the solid waste disposal facilities to be located in your County, approval of the Hidalgo County Commissioners Court is required under Texas law pursuant to the Texas Development Corporation Act, Texas Local Government Code, Chapter 501, as amended and under federal tax law pursuant to Section 147(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

As expressly stated in the Order, the approval of the County is not to be construed as a representation or warranty or other undertaking of any kind by the County with respect to the Bonds or the solid waste disposal facilities, and the County will not be obligated to pay the Bonds or otherwise incur any liability in respect thereof. Rather, the approval is to be granted solely for purposes of Texas law and federal tax law.

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Please let me know if you or any of the Commissioners have any comments or questions regarding the proposed Order. I can be reached at (713) 221-1346. Thanks again for your assistance.

Very truly yours,



Cristy C. Edwards

Enclosures

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